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DR. CHARLES W. SYDNOR, JR. President and Executive Director

804-257-5400, ext. 245
The Honorable Tom Wheeler
Chairman, FCC
445 12th Street, SW

RE: MB Docket Number 14-57

Dear Chairman Wheeler:

Washington, DC. 20554

As President of the Virginia Holocaust Museum I support the application by Comcast Communications, Inc. and Time-Warner, Inc. for the merger of their respective corporations in the matter pending before the Commission. My reasons for writing are the esteem and respect in which I hold the Comcast operation, and the perspective of a longtime Richmonder who has seen the beneficent effect Comcast has had upon this community. I want them succeed in the future and believe this merger essential to that prospect, and believe that prospect vital to the future of Richmond.

Comcast has consistently supported programs here in the vital areas of diversity and citizenship training, math and science and literacy development, and tolerance in a democratic society. Comcast puts their money where only the mouths of others are in community endeavors. They were the first corporate sponsor at the founding of this Museum seventeen years ago, and have supported it in all the years since. The local executive, Ken Dye, is Vice Chair of the Museum's Board, and has been involved in every decision made that has benefitted this institution. In 2006 Comcast was the sole sponsor of the commemorative performance here of the children's opera "Brundibar." Most recently, Ken Dye cohosted a friend-raiser breakfast here that was the best event of this kind the Museum has ever held. There are many more endeavors other non-profits in Richmond could also cite as the beneficiaries of good things Comcast has done for them, and I hope will note for the Commission on Comcast's behalf.

Finally, my interest in supporting Comcast's future comes from my experiences as their customer since 1997. All my information services-cable TV, Internet, and telephone-are bundled with Comcast. That relationship has been in place for so long for two reasons: the reliability of their operating systems, and the consistent quality of their customer service operations. It is just that simple.

If the merger enables them to continue those levels of technical and customer services, as I believe it will, then I believe the merger to be inherently in the public interest.

Yours sincerely,

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